

## **Servant Spotlight**

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What a joy it was to learn about the MEXICO MISSIONS TEAM from one of their co-leaders, Bill H. For the fifth year in a row, Sheboygan E Free Church is supplying a team of 25 servants to The Foundation for His Ministry in the Baja Peninsula of Mexico. From January 26 thru Feb 2, 2008, our MEXICO MISSIONS TEAM will become staff for this Mexican ministry as they operate their orphanage, their clinic, their macadamia nut farm, their clothing distribution center, soup kitchen, wheel chair repair and distribution, child evangelism, and evening adult outreach programs. Fifty two weeks a year, The Foundation for His Ministry depends on the Lord to provide groups like our MEXICO MISSION TEAM to supply the workforce and skills to meet the needs of the impoverished people they serve.

When I asked Bill what surprised him most about his experience serving in Mexico, he answered that it was seeing people who have nothing be so happy in the Lord. Their warm greetings and joyful worship demonstrate the absence of materialism, and watching their gratefulness is refreshing. Bill notes it is a blessing to recognize that our Jesus is not just a "USA Jesus" – He's alive and apparent in settings far different from the ones we know and often take for granted.

As a first time team member three years ago, Bill said he just fell in love with this mission. As a team leader, he has really enjoyed watching other team members be blessed by it. Sometimes people worry that they won't have the skills that are needed – but each willing servant is always put to good use. Sometimes people worry about the long travel days, or leaving their kids behind for a week – but God always works out those details. Sometimes people worry because they don't know what to expect – but somehow it's God's miracles that they witness.

The MEXICO MISSIONS TEAM is a ministry that enriches our church. Without leaders like Bill to work out the logistics, fund raising, and team building, others wouldn't go. We're grateful for his leadership in this role. If you'd like to GET CONNECTED with a future MEXICO MISSIONS TEAM, please feel free to chat with Bill about it. If you'd like to be a part of sending this team off in January, please think about offering your prayer support, or even your financial support. Watch for their fund raisers...their Christmas cookie sale will be here before you know it!

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